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Examiner: Yogesh Garg)
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Title: Automated Cafeteria)
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20232

Sir:

This Request is submitted in response to the Office Action
mailed on August 8, 2002. Claims 1 - 6 are pending, and all stand
rejected at present.

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Response to Drawing Objections

In response to the objection to the drawings, copies of formal
drawings are herewith submitted. No new matter is added.

If these drawings are acceptable, Applicant will cancel the
existing drawings, and submit clean formals.

Applicant points out that, in regard to the method claims,
drawings are not required. MPEP § 608.02, section headed
"APPLICATIONS FILED WITHOUT DRAWINGS," states:

It has long been the practice to accept a
process case (that is, a case having only
process or method claims) which is filed
without a drawing.